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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Jose Rafael ESTEBAN DURAN, et al.

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Serial No.: 09/508,032

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For: COMPOSITION ATTRACTIVE TO INSECTS PERTAINING TO THE COLEOPTERA ORDER
AND ITS APPLICATION TO PEST CONTROL IN PALM TREES AND RELATED PLANTS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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REQUEST FOR REFUND AND
SUBMISSION OF SMALL ENTITY DECLARATION

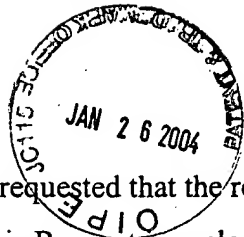
Sir:

In absence of the Notification of Missing Requirements, enclosed herewith is an inventor's
Declaration.

Pursuant to the Notice in the Official Gazette dated February 15, 1983, it is requested that a
refund be granted in the amount of \$315.00 (see the attached calculation sheet), the amount overpaid on
March 6, 2000 for filing the above application.

The verified statements claiming small entity status of the inventor and assignee are
enclosed.

Also submitted is a copy of the documents cited in the International Search Report.



It is requested that the refund be deposited to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

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